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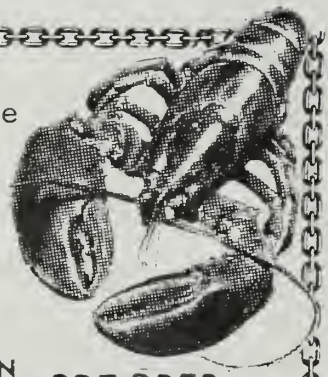

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Fire Chief, Kenneth Wood, Mattapoisett has submitted his resignation to the Board of Selectmen as of December 31st, 1968. The Selectmen accepted his resignation with regret and have sent him the following letter: We would like, at this time, to thank you for the many years of service which you have given the town as a member of the Fire Department, and also as Deputy Chief and Chief. The people of Mattapoisett have been well served by the Department which you commanded for so many years.

IN CHARGE OF POLICE DEPARTMENT

Beginning November 3rd Deputy Chief Alfred Faria has been placed in control of the Mattapoisett Police Department while Chief Alden Kinney is on leave of absence. Chief Kinney will retire January 31 ,1969.

CONTRACT WITH EASTER SEAL SOCIETY

Mattapoisett Board of Selectmen have signed a contract with the Easter Seal Society to furnish the town of Mattapoisett with consultation services for rehabilitation of patients in conjunction with the district nurses. The contract is for one year, from November 1, 1968 to October 31, 1969. It provides physical, occupational and

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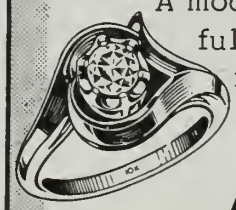

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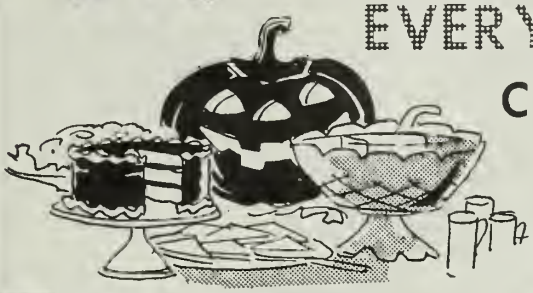

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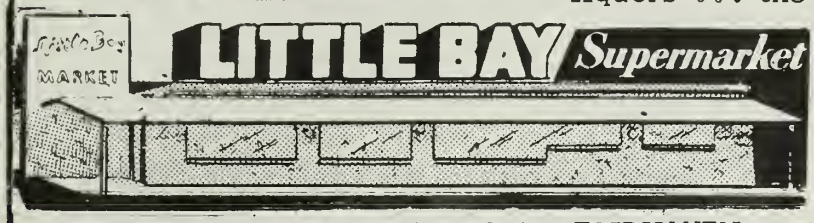

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Mattapoisett Woman's Club

EXECUTIVE BOARD MEETING HELD

The Mattapoisett Woman's Club held a board meeting on October 15th at the home of Mrs. Luen Johnson at which time several projects affecting the membership were planned.

First, it was decided that the club would contact other organizations in town and town authorities for the purpose of initiating a town "clean-up" campaign. A chairman was chosen who will obtain other members to work with her in this needed and worthwhile project.

In considering plans for the triangle at the corner of Route 6 and Church Street, which was planted this past summer by some of the women of the club, the idea of its being even more of a shared effort was suggested. For this purpose, each member is asked to bring with her to the regular monthly meeting on Thursday, October 24th, several spring bulbs of tulips, or daffodils or hyacinths. Bulbs should be good, healthy ones, labeled so that they can be combined for the most effective display. People who cannot bring in a few bulbs can, if they prefer, donate a

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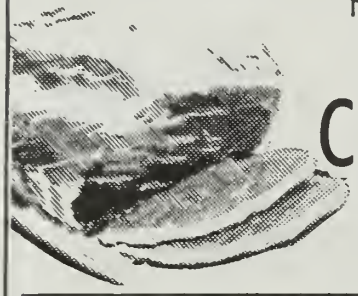

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small sum of money which will help towards expenses for fertilizer, etc.

It was announced that the series of lectures by Mr. Milton Babcock each Thursday night on antiques has been most successful to date. Next Thursday, the subject will be "Handblown and Sandwich Glassware".

WOMAN'S CLUB MEETING

An "Armchair Tour of the Louvres" will be presented by the Fine Arts Group of the Mattapoisett Woman's Club at the club's regular monthly meeting this Thursday, October 24th, in the parish hall of the Congregational Church. The business meeting at 2:00 P.M. will be conducted by the president, Mrs. Louis Corey, Jr. Honored guest will be Mrs. Clarence F. Clark, president of the Massachusetts State Federation of Women's Clubs.

Hostesses will be Mrs. Charles A. Adams, chairman; Mrs. George Fisher, co-chairman, assisted by Mrs. Clark B. Allen, Mrs. Herbert L. Arral, Mrs. Norman J. Atkinson, Mrs. Leonard A. Burnham, Mrs. John Carlos, Mrs. Robert S. Dennie, Mrs. Stephen K. Flanders, Mrs. Clarence F. Fountain, Mrs. Harry M. Locke, Mrs. Louis Perry, Mrs. William J. Spark, Sr., Mrs. Bert St. Germain, Mrs. Andrew D. Sylvia, Mrs. Anthony J. Sylvia and Mrs. Merrill B. Walker.

AMERICAN LEGION MEETING

Florence Eastman Post #280 will meet this Wednesday at 8 P.M. at Legion Hall, Depot Street, Mattapoisett. Plans for the November 11th tri-town parade, to be held in Marion this year at 1:30 P.M., will be made. The Legion

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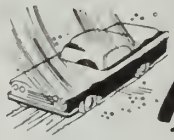

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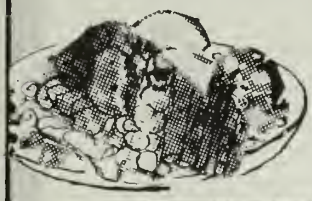
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Grange

Mattapoisett Grange held its bi-monthly meeting last Thursday night. Guests were from Rochester, Fairhaven and Pocasset.

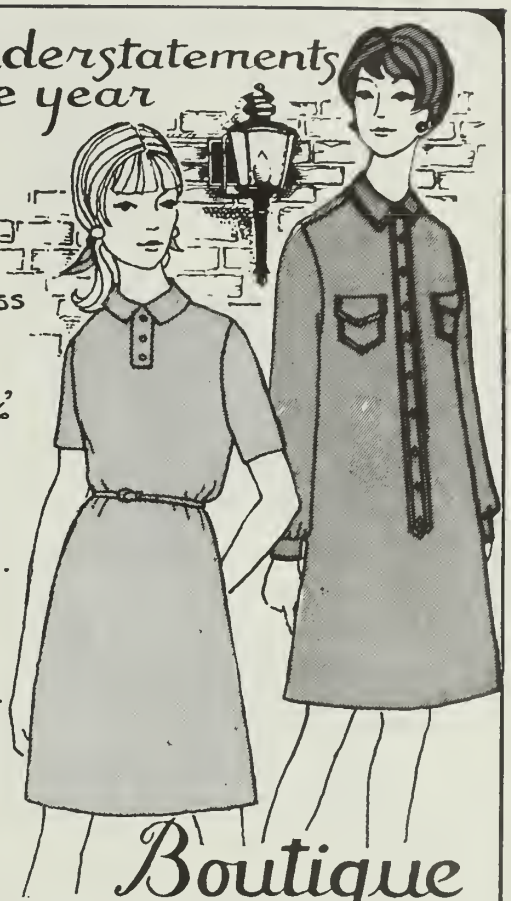
Resolutions on the death of Ellen Heuberger were presented by the committee of Mrs. Isabel Farwell, Mrs. Mildred LeBaron and Albert Pemberton. A copy will be sent to the family and a copy will be spread upon the records.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Kellish were elected alternate delegates to the State Grange Session in Springfield on October 24, 25 and 26 in case Mrs. LeBaron is unable to attend.

Mrs. Olive Gifford, assistant matron, will attend the Matron's Conference Friday, October 25th.

The Ways and Means Committee for October, November and December awarded a food basket to Mrs. LeBaron for October. A turkey will be awarded in November.

Announcements made were: Pocasset Junior

The Understatements of the year

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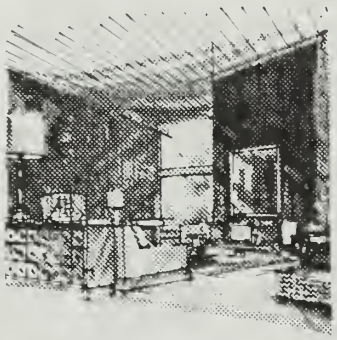

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Grange will observe its 10th anniversary on Sunday, October 20th, Deputy Bowers will conduct an officers' meeting Sunday, November 17th, in Marion Grange Hall, Sippican Pomona will have a whist party in Acushnet October 30th at 8 P.M. and an invitation was extended by Fairhaven Grange to neighbor and enjoy a Halloween party Thursday night, October 24th, in their hall on William Street, Fairhaven.

Lecturer, Mrs. Ruby Barber, presented a Halloween program, opening with a grand march. Charlie Chaplin was judged the funniest, impersonated by Helen Hathaway of Fairhaven, the Pilgrim costume worn by Mrs. Olive Gifford was judged the prettiest. Judges were William Smith and Walter Caswell. The lecturer's prize and ring toss game prize went to William Smith.

Mrs. Gladys Pearson was the horse shoe pitching winner and the Halloween word game was won by Edward Maxa, master of Pocasset Grange.

Mr. and Mrs. George Randall were hosts for the social hour and served cider and doughnuts.

TRI-TOWN PARADE

The annual tri-town Veterans' Day parade will be held in Marion this year on Monday, November 11th, starting at 1:30 P.M. The parade will assemble on Spring Street at Ryders Lane (Tabor's football field), proceed south on Spring Street, to Main Street, east on Main Street to Front Street, up Front Street to Ryders Lane and return to the starting point

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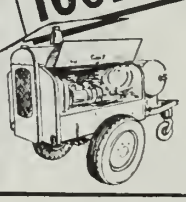

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An old fashioned Harvest Supper is to be served at the First Congregational Church vestry, Rochester Center, Saturday, October 26th, at 5:30 and 6:30, sponsored by the Ways & Means Committee in cooperation with the Couples' Club. The Rev. Edward F. White, pastor, is general chairman and is preparing the special corned beef with a "cure" that his committee claims makes it both tasty and tender. No tickets will be sold at the door. However, a few reservations may yet be made by calling the parsonage at 763-8839.

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Campaign Discussed

DEMOCRATIC COMMITTEE

The Mattapoisett Town Democratic Committee held its monthly meeting last Thursday night at American Legion Hall on Depot Street. The meeting was highlighted by a full discussion of the issues and personalities involved in the current campaign. It was generally agreed that the Democratic Party would, on the basis of the issues and personalities, enjoy an appreciable edge in the coming election.

It was voted to take a half-page ad to further the cause of the Humphrey-Muskie team. A report was received that showed that in the last primary election, for the first time in the history of Mattapoisett, more Democratic ballots than Republican ballots were cast.

Before adjournment, Albert Andrews won the door prize. The next meeting of the Mattapoisett Town Democratic Committee will be held on Thursday, November 7th.

The Good Days at Tony's

Tony Secia, who passed away one week ago, has a host of friends who will think of him and Tony's PX with a great deal of nostalgia. The happy hours that local people spent at the counter of the PX are countless. It's been the eating spot, the coffee stop, the informal club where friends met to keep up to date. The good company and the good talk that happened at Tony's will find another place, but it won't be the same without the genial host and his wife, Jessie, behind the counter. I know that all of the friends who patronized the restaurant will look back on that long span as one long period of happy days with fine companionship.

Mattapoisett's flag flew at half staff in memory of Tony Secia who was a Mattapoisett public official as a Water Commissioner. This was a fitting symbol of the respect and esteem that this fine and decent citizen, this friend, inspired. Everyone, who has been a part of this community for the past twenty years, will have many occasions in the future to think of the PX and Tony. The memories will be pleasant ones. DCJ

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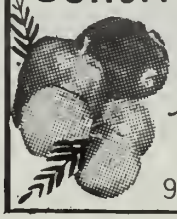
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The Social Concerns Commission of the Marion United Methodist Church is grateful that Mr. Johnson will be at their church at 8 P.M. on Friday, November 1st, to speak on "What Next in Southeast Asia?" All interested people in the area are urged

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Hilltop Friendship Circle

Nineteen members of Hilltop Friendship Circle had lunch at the Coffee Shoppe in Wareham. Cute pumpkin favors and a floral centerpiece decorated the tables.

The president, Mrs. Ruth W. Shaw, gave some of the high spots of her recent bus trip to the Amish Country in Pennsylvania.

There are now five eighty-yeal old members. Mrs. Florence Dexter, Mrs. Grace Godfrey, Mrs. Gertrude H. Blanchard, Mrs. Edna L. Borden and Mrs. Edna Smith whose birthday was observed. A corsage from the Circle was pinned on her dress by the president and a cake made by Mrs. Borden was served. All five sat at the head table with Mrs. Shaw. It was planned to take their pictures, but something went wrong with the camera. Mrs. Borden quipped that it took a strong one to take a picture of her.

The Circle members greeted Mrs. Marjorie Wilson's sister, who is an occasional guest, when stopping over in Mattapoisett en route to or from Florida.

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The Circle's next activity is to serve a chicken shortcake lunch to Preparative Meeting members at the Quaker Sunday School rooms. In November they will entertain the East Fairhaven Ladies' Benevolent Society.

A THANK YOU

The family of the late Tony Secia would like to express their deep gratitude to all of his friends who sent cards and flowers, said masses and who attended the services. Also, a thank you too, to the "9:30 o'clock Gang" for the bouquet of flowers. Your thoughtfulness has been greatly appreciated.

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TRACK MEET SUCCESS

The second annual Mattapoisett Track Meet, sponsored by the Mattapoisett Sports and Athletic Committee, was held on October 19 at Old Rochester Regional High School, and was considered a complete success by all who attended.

David Hutchings flies across finish line to win the 50-yard dash. William Calise, on his heels, placed second, Wayne Caswell, third.

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Approximately 80 boys and girls from ages 9 to 12 competed for the 132 ribbons and trophies. The Sports Committee, under the direction of Walter Dupont, was assisted by members of the Old Rochester Athletic Department with Coach Jim Hubbard in charge, and interested fathers.

Winners of the Outstanding Athlete Trophies were: Boys 9-10, Marc Dupont; Boys 11-12, Mark Trow and Tim Demski, tied; Girls 9-10, Deborah Caswell; Girls 11-12, Carol Bettencourt.

Winners of the first, second and third place ribbons in each of the events are listed below:

50-yard dash, boys 9-10, David Hutchings, William Calise, Wayne Caswell; Boys 11-12, Tim Demski, Peter Nelson, John Meehan; Girls 9-10, Deborah Caswell, Jacqueline Collins, Nancy Pallatroni; Girls 11-12, Karen Sylvia, Michele Veiga, Harlene Fearing; 100-yard dash, Boys 9-10, Marc Dupont, William Calise, Wayne Caswell; Boys 11-12, Tim Demski, Alan Marcoux, John Meehan; Girls 9-10, Deborah Caswell, Jacqueline Collins, Nancy

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Also, 440-yard run, Boys 9-10, Marc Dupont, Scott Stubbs, Daniel Eilertsen; Boys 11-12, Mark Trow, Paul Dupont, Alan Marcoux; Girls 11-12, Carol Bettencourt, Debbie Mello, Gail Wilbury; 880-yard run, Boys 9-10, Marc Dupont, David Hutchings, Stephen Crowley; Boys 11-12, Tim Demski, Kevin O'Leary, John Nunes; mile run, Boys 11-12, Mark Trow, Alan Marcoux, Peter Nelson.

Also, 440-yard relay, Boys 9-10, winning team, Wayne Caswell, Daniel Eilertson, William Calise, Marc Dupont, Boys 11-12, winning team, Paul Dupont, Marc Trow, Tim Demski, David MacLean; Girls 9-10, winning team, Jacqueline Collins, Kathy Wilbur, Deborah Caswell, Kristen McCormach; Girls 11-12, winning team, Debbie Mello, Gail Wilbur, Marybeth Breton, Harlene Fearing; low hurdles, Boys 9-10, William Calise, Stephen Paim, Ted Whitney; Boys 11-12, Mark Trow, Paul Dupont, Andy Davidson; low hurdles, Girls 11-12, Carol Bettencourt, Sherry Haskell, Michele Veiga; hop-skip-jump, Boys 9-10, Jimmy Warren, Scott Stubbs; Girls 9-10, Deborah Caswell, Ruth Roylance, Kathy Wilbur; Girls 11-12, Harlene Fearing, Jeanmarie Gaudiello; baseball

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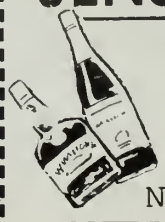
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The Mattapoisett Sports and Athletic Committee wishes to thank all the youngsters who participated in this Track meet, the parents and the members of the Old Rochester Staff who gave of their time to make this meet a success.

A REMINDER

The Mattapoisett Town Republican Committee wishes to remind all residents of Mattapoisett eligible to vote that applications for absentee ballots may be applied for and obtained at the Town Clerk's office up until 12 noon the day before election. We also wish to remind you that 2 of the 3 County Commissioner seats are up for election. Remember, vote for two.

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There is a meeting to be held at the Old Hammondtown School on October 30th at 8:00 P.M. Your attendance at this meeting will show if you care.

The need for added classroom space is imperative at Old Rochester Regional High School in order that the classes be small enough in size to render the student the best possible advantage to learn. Concern over the immediate problem arises when the alternatives are either double sessions or the use of portable classrooms.

At the meeting will be members of the School Committee to whom you may direct any questions you might have pertaining to this very definite and immediate problem. Cost comparisons will be presented as well as the academic pros and cons of both projects.

Double sessions as well as portable classrooms have been and are in use in many areas. The main objective is to weigh the pros and cons and to make available the best possible education to the young people.

Portable classrooms, a term not accepted by many, has need of explanation. This type of solution would provide added space of a comparatively permanent nature. They would be attached to the main core of the school on a permanent foundation and available for use as classrooms, shops or offices as the need arises. Double sessions speak for themselves.

The problem is great and it is hoped that you will attend this meeting and help guide your School Committee members toward the right decision for everyone involved.

Christmas Projects Exhibit

CHRISTMAS OPEN HOUSE

Christmas Open House will be held at Bristol County Agricultural School, Wednesday, October 23, and Thursday, October 24, from 1 P.M. to 9 P.M.

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Marion Art Center

EXHIBIT AT ART CENTER

The finest works of well-known craftsmen from the local area will be available for viewing and purchasing from October 26th through November 30th at the Marion Art Center's Cecil Clark Davis Gallery. Scrimshaw, mobiles, jewelry, wall hangings, fused glass, woodworking, pottery and stoneware will be among the arts displayed. Many of the artists will be in attendance at various times during the show, and on every Wednesday tea will be served from 2 to 4 P.M. The hostesses for the tea will be Mrs. Thayer Francis, Mrs. Maurice Makepeace, Mrs. Morgan Holmes, Mrs. George Phillips and Mrs. John A. Perkins.

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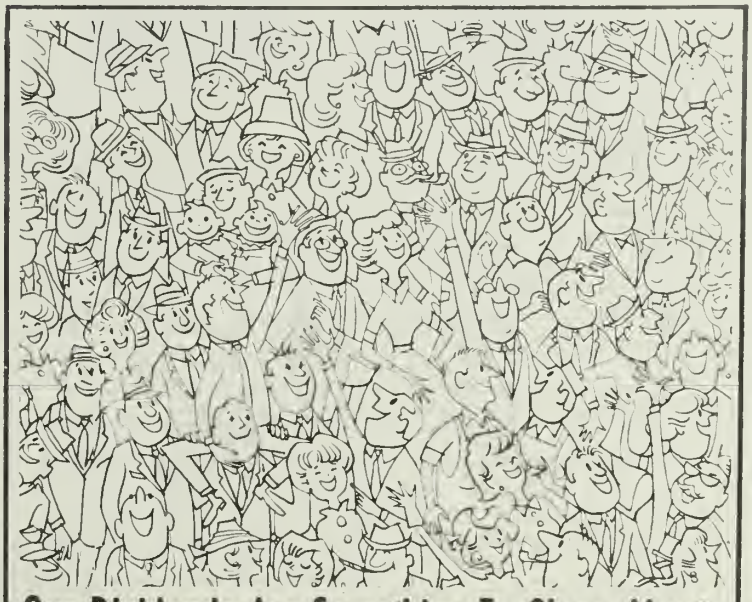
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In the 1850's California's gold sometimes reached New York hy sea after an overland jungle trek through Panama. Word of one such shipment got talked about: ten masked men ambushed a mule train carrying $106,000 in gold, and promptly vanished in the jungle.

The Panamanian army chased the bandits and all were captured, but $5,000 in gold was missing.

The lost gold? For all that is known, it is still in the jungle!

Early in April, 1870, the steamer "George Washington" put out of New York, hound for New Orleans. The fourth day of her southerly course brought the cry dreaded hy seamen the world over: "Fire in the hold!"

According to the "Disaster Books" in the Marine Lihrary of the Atlantic Mutual Insurance Company, prompt action hy the crew saved the ship.

As he searched the smoke-blackened hold for a key to the fire's origin, the ship's captain came upon a four-foot-square hox. Marked "Handle with Care —Keep Dry," it was still smoldering.

The manifest stated only that the hox contained "valuahle machinery." Curious, the captain ordered it opened.

Packed inside in straw and sawdust was a soda-water bottle filled with gasoline, a can of spirits of turpentine, an explosive mixture of potassium chloride, and two cigar hoxes full of white mice!

The "valuahle machinery" was really a lethal incendiary device. The hungry mice, nibbling at their cigar hox prison, were intended to set off the explosive. Then the ignited turpentine, gasoline, sawdust and straw were to start a hlaze that would wipe out ship, crew and heavily insured cargo—and destroy all evidence of arson.

The plot failed only hecause the fire was speedily detected. Atlantic Mutual's files give the names of two men later charged hy a U.S. court with "shipping explosive oil without lahelling the contents upon the case." But the identity of "a third party not in custody"—the packer of the deadly hox — is lost to history.

jewelry by Nina Sutton and Ruth Edwards and Bernard Kelley; realistic birds by Peter Peltz and Roger Chamberlain's fused glass.

Also displaying will be the Christies' polished cut stone jewelry, Roger Black, weaving; Harry Hall, pottery; Libby Pratt, unique cathedral and antique stained glass; Mrs. Thayer Francis, jeweled eggs; Mrs. Ernest Pringle, decorated furniture; and the woven articles of Margaret Purrington.

The opening of this show, for members only, is Friday, October 25th, from 10 to 12 noon and 1 to 4 P.M. The show is open to the public on October 26th. The gallery will be open every day, Tuesday thru Saturday, from 1 to 4 P.M.

Y.W.C.A. Events

The YWCA Travel Club has plans for two trips. Reservations may be made as soon as possible, and members of the Travel Club are given preference.

On November 3, the group will go to Monticello's in Framingham for dinner at 1:30 P.M. and to be entertained by Jimmie Durante, featured in the floor show at 3. The bus will leave the "Y" at 12 noon. Cost of transportation is $2.25 and an additional charge for the show will be $2.00. Further details regarding dinner will be given at the main desk of the YWCA.

A trip to New York City is scheduled for December 7. Cost will be $8.00 for the bus. The group will visit Radio City Music Hall and shop in the afternoon, but anyone is free to engage in activities independent of the group. Tickets should be purchased at once.

Anyone interested in joining "Jolly Joggers" is invited to contact the YWCA. Requirement

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John Sanders, instructor in piano, will be at the YWCA Saturday, October 26, at 2 P.M. to discuss lessons that are available at the "Y". Men and boys, as well as women and girls, are welcome to talk about plans for instruction. Pianos at the "Y" are used for practice and instruction, so that one does not need to own a piano. The main desk will give further information if desired.

Mrs. Beatrice Whalen, pool director, announces that there is a clinic scheduled for volunteer aides in the Handicapped Swim Program on October 24 at 7 P.M. Parents of handicapped schildren are invited to inquire about the Swim Program that starts November 2.

Decorative Arts Classes are available, and the YWCA is interested in learning what hours are most acceptable to women in the area. If women would like to "Play with clay" and make their own Christmas cards

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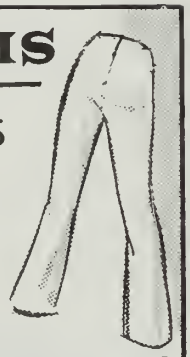
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in block printing, the "Y" will try to fit classes into the selected hours. Mrs. Eunice Sawyer, who has had extensive art experience in Boston, and now resides in Mattapoisett, will instruct classes. Call the YWCA, 999-6201, and tell the person at the main desk the most agreeable hour for your planning. Effort will be made to make arrangements that most women desire.

On October 25 at 8:45 P.M., Cosmopolitan Group will hear trainees from the Training Center in Brattleboro, Vermont, discuss "About Peace Corps Trainees," as panel members. These trainees are currently in New Bedford area completing their training in Portuguese language study before leaving for Brazil. The panel members will tell the group about their motivation for volunteering in the Peace Corps, and also, give an idea of what can be expected when assigned to various locations in Brazil.

Previous to the International Outreach discussions, there will be "Sports in the Gym" at 7:30, for participation in volleyball. Sneakers are required and sports clothes are suggested for this activity.

Recreation and international outreach programs are held on the second and fourth Fridays of the month. College students from SMTI, former Peacecorpsmen, and other young people in the community are cordially invited to attend. Newly arrived school teachers in the area are also urged to join the group.

UNIVERSAL BIBLE SUNDAY AT ROCHESTER

A large Bible (eight feet tall) will be displayed at the 10:30 A. M. morning worship Sunday, October 27th, at the First Congregational Church, Rochester Center. The giant Bible is to be used on Universal Bible Sunday. Deacon, Hoyle Demoranville, made the exhibit at the request of the pastor, the Rev. Edward F. White. New members will be received at this special service.

New Bedford

IN THE BEGINNING

By W. H. B. Remington

The adjourned meeting, held April 3, 1787, was for the election of state officers, the first state election in which New Bedford participated. By the returns it is shown that "Hon. John Hancock, Esq." received 171 votes for governor, to 41 votes cast for "Honbl. James Bowdoin, Esq." Further progress toward the election of the first town officers was made at this meeting, surveyors of lumber, an inspector of fish and four constables being chosen. At an adjourned meeting, held on the 8th of the following May, surveyors of highways, wardens, tythingmen, fence viewers, cullers of staves and hog reeves

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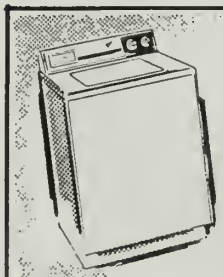
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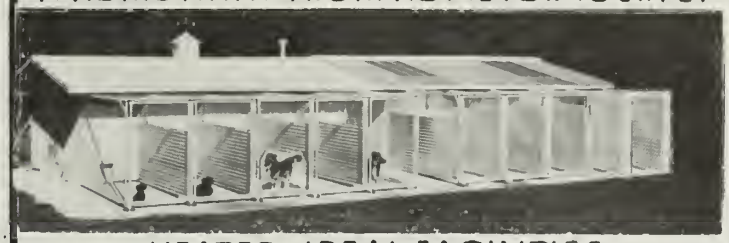

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were chosen, and the town government was complete,--even though there was no common council as a part of the organization.

On the 28th day of May things began to run along in New Bedford. The first action of the day was "voted, that there be one person employed as town school master in the town."

It was also voted, at this meeting, "That the wages of the selectmen, assessors, town committee and others who may be employed by or shall serve the town, shall be fixed at the rate of four shillings per day." (About 50 cents, present money.) This compares, as you will see, with the rate of a dollar an hour which the union man demands today (March 30, 1920).

The town treasury was as bare as Old Mother Hubbard's cupboard, apparently, as witness this vote--cast at the same town meeting: "Voted, that John Pickens, town treasurer, as soon as sufficient money thereof comes into the town treasury, shall purchase a rheim of paper for the purpose of making books convenient for the records

JUNIOR GRANGE

There will be a Halloween party for the members of the Mattapoisett Junior Grange Friday night, October 25th with Mrs. Ruby Barber, Mrs. Evelyn Linhares and Walter Caswell in charge. Juniors are to come in costume at 7:30 P.M.

SEMI-FINALISTS IN SCHOLARSHIP AWARDS

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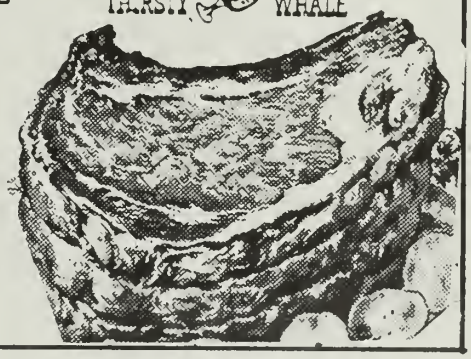

and accounts of the town."

It may be fairly presumed that the old book before us, in which the record was made, was the result of this vote. If that is the case, the ream of paper which John Pickens purchased when there was sufficient money in the treasury was a good investment. The paper of which the book is composed is in splendid condition today, in spite of its light yellowness, and it was undoubtedly made from the best linen rags and other first class paper stock.

Wages for the street department were fixed at this meeting as follows: "For a man with a tool or instrument suitable for the work, four shillings per day; for a cart, two shillings per day; for a pair of oxen, four shillings per day; for a plough, one shilling and sixpence per day--that is, whilst in service."

Note the saving clause, "whilst in service." No loafing on the job, in those days, and getting paid for it; no one day off in eight, with full pay. The politicians of the new New Bedford were looking after the treasury; not after the votes of the laborers.

The above story was written by Mr. Remington and presented to the annual meeting of the Old Dartmouth Historical Society on March 30th, 1920.

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The next paper is the final one before the election. Political Advertising must be in on Friday before 5:30 to meet the deadline.

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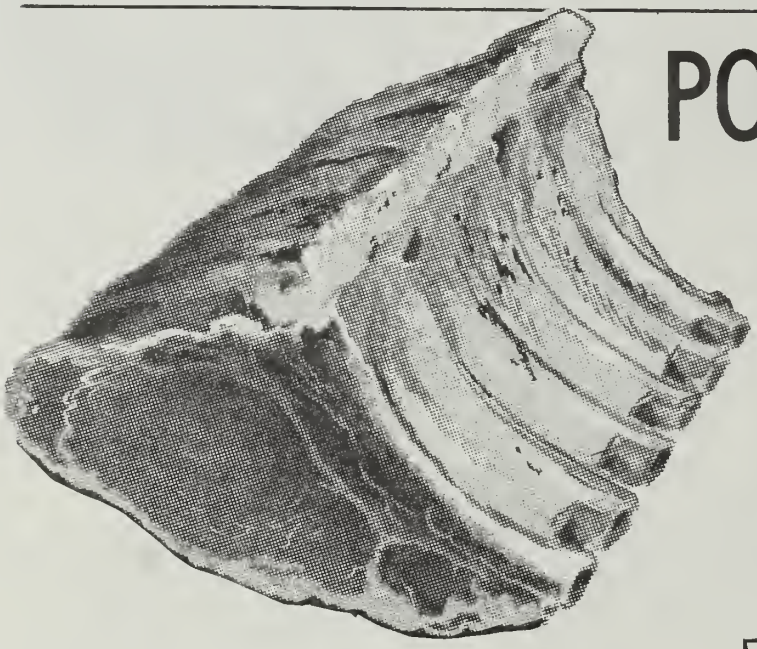

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